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Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement

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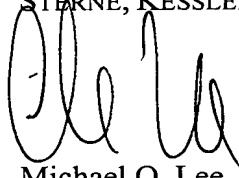
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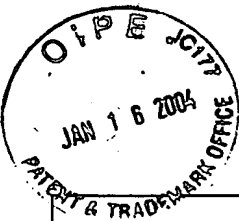
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	AC2	5,453,601	09/1995	Rosen			
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